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At the request of Examiner Wang, a clean version of the claims of the previous amendment (without underlining) is being provided herewith. The new declaration is being pursued and will be provided as soon as the signatures from the Inventors are obtained.

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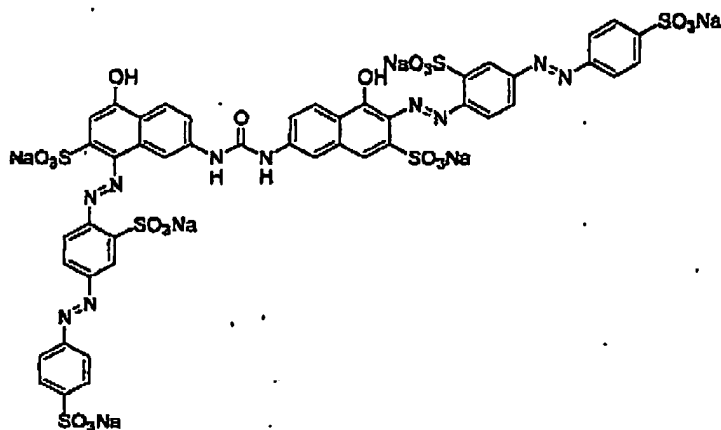
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IN THE CLAIMS:

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27. (amended) A method to lower blood glucose in a diabetic subject comprising administering to the subject a blood glucose-lowering effective amount of the compound of [claim 26] the formula



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